



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 05711.0137-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Mitsuo HORIKAWA)	Group Art Unit: 1771
Application No.: 10/046,286)	Examiner: J. Boyd
Filed: January 16, 2002)	
For: SLIDE FASTENER TAPE)	Confirmation No.: 2337

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed January 11, 2006, please reexamine and reconsider the application in view of the following:

Remarks/Arguments beginning on page 2.